

2. The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, are further pleased, under clause (c) of the said section to appoint Mr. T. Chokkanna, B.A., Senior Assistant Commissioner and Special Forest Officer to be the Forest Settlement Officer, who shall inquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any rights claimed by, or alleged to exist in favour of, any person in or over land comprised within such limits, or to any forest produce of such land, and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Regulation, and the District Forest Officer of the Bangalore District, for the time being, to attend on behalf of Government, to assist the Forest Settlement Officer in the inquiry.

3. The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are further pleased, under the authority vested in them by Section 15 of the said Regulation, to appoint the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for the time being, to be the Officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement Officer under Section 10, 11, 12, 13 or 14 of the Regulation.

By Order,

B. RAMASWAMIYA,

Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

FINANCIAL.

Memorandum No. F. 7739-88—G. 264-19-1, dated 22nd April 1920.

The accompanying Press Communique is published for general information. Deputy Commissioners are requested to take special steps for giving wide publicity to the same in the mofussil and to have copies posted up prominently in all Public Offices in the State.

By Order,

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,

Financial Secretary to Government.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

The attention of Government has been drawn to a certain statement in the Newspapers that owing to the non-receipt of interest on War Bonds, the holders thereof are intending to sell them for less than their market value. Government do not understand the exact nature of the difficulty of the bond-holders realising their interest. In order to make the position clear, the following statement of the manner in which interest can be drawn on the different kinds of securities, is issued for the information of the public.

First Indian War Loan issued in 1917.

2. Interest on the Government Securities of this loan excepting those in the shape of Stock Certificates, can be drawn by the holders from any of the Treasuries in the Mysore State elected by them. They are advised to apply to the Officer in charge of the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury, Bangalore, mentioning the amount number and nature of the bonds they hold and the Treasury (District or Taluk) where they desire to draw interest. That officer will instruct the Treasury concerned and also inform the party of the arrangements made.

Second Indian War Loan issued in 1918.

3. Interest on the bonds for this loan, excepting those in the shape of stock certificates will be paid in any of the local treasuries of the State without further formality. All that the party has to do is to present a receipt in the prescribed form along with the bond, at the Treasury selected as indicated above. Such of the holders as desire to get the interest on War Bonds remitted to them periodically without any effort on their own part, may deposit their bonds at the Bank of Mysore which will draw the amount of interest half-yearly and remit it to them per money order deducting a very small commission.

4. Those who hold stock certificates will get interest warrants periodically from the Public Debt Office, Madras, encased for payment at any Treasury named by them.